

FY 2002 Governor's Recommendation for the Millennium Income Fund

Priority	Agency	Program	Recommendation
1	Public Health Districts	Tobacco Cessation Programs	\$506,500
2	Catastrophic Health Care	Tobacco-related Indigent Care Deductible	\$735,000
3	Health and Welfare	Counter-marketing Media Campaign	\$500,000
4	Judicial	Expand Status Offender Program	\$150,000
5	Judicial	Youth Court	\$170,000
6	Health and Welfare	Children's Trust Fund	\$100,000
7	BSU, ISU, UI	Substance Abuse Program Evaluation	\$95,000
8	Health and Welfare	Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention	<u>\$400,000</u>
Total Recommendation			\$2,656,500

Tobacco Cessation Programs— \$506,500. Public Health Districts and other nonprofit entities such as hospitals, primary care clinics and volunteer organizations will continue to offer tobacco cessation programs statewide to reduce the burden of disease, disability, and death associated with nicotine addiction. These programs, available to any Idaho citizen but primarily targeting youth and pregnant women, provide behavior-modification courses to assist current addicts to quit smoking.

Tobacco-related Indigent Care Deductible – \$735,000. Catastrophic Health Care will continue the program implemented last year to reduce county deductible payments in caring for indigent persons with tobacco-related cancers and respiratory diseases.

Counter-marketing Media Campaign – \$500,000. Health and Welfare will continue the counter-marketing battle to deter kids from smoking. This statewide marketing effort is a preventative measure and will be matched with private industry funding.

Status Offender Program – \$150,000. Judicial plans to expand the status offender pilot program into all seven judicial districts and replicate the success experienced in the Magic Valley. The status offender program identifies high-risk youth and provides services and monitoring aimed at stopping an escalating cycle toward incarceration.

Youth Court – \$170,000. The Idaho Supreme Court will continue the implementation of youth courts designed to develop a continuum of prevention and diversion activities to address juvenile crime. Plans to expand the capacity of existing youth courts to additional counties and increase the number of accountability boards and community diversion boards are expected.

Children's Trust Fund – \$100,000. Health and Welfare will also continue to provide youth-asset building and to identify resource availability within communities.

Substance Abuse Program Evaluation – \$95,000. A cooperative effort among Boise State University, Idaho State University and University of Idaho to begin evaluating the continuum of substance abuse programs in Idaho. The BSU Center for Health Policy will collect data from various state agencies involved in substance abuse programs, analyze the data, and evaluate the effectiveness of the programs.

Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention – \$400,000. The Governor's Council on Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention is responsible for coordinating statewide efforts through Health and Welfare to reduce adolescent pregnancy. Its focus is to conduct a media campaign to raise awareness of the human and societal risks associated with adolescent pregnancy and to support community adolescent pregnancy prevention coalition. The Council unites efforts between parents and teens, businesses, faith communities, local officials, services providers, media and others to address the needs of adolescents and encourage them to delay the onset of sexual activity.